

At the Busy Corner



A Wonderful Show of Hosiery.



Ladies' Fast Black Cotton Hose full seamless, spliced heels and toes, 12-12c value. 9c

Ladies' Fast Black Ribbed Hose, full seamless, spliced heels and toes, 15c quality. 10c

Ladies' Fast Black and Tan Cotton Hose, full seamless, spliced heels and toes, 15c quality. 15c

Children's Fast Black Ribbed Cotton Hose, full seamless, double heels and toes, sizes 6 to 12; worth 12-12c. 9c

Children's Fast Black Ribbed Cotton Hose, full seamless, double heels and toes, sizes 6 to 12. Worth 12c to 25c. 12-12c

Men's Fast Black Cotton Hose, full seamless, spliced heels and toes, worth 12-12c. 9c

Men's Fast Black and Tan Cotton Hose, full regular made, double heels and high-spliced toes—25c quality. 15c

Men's Pancy Striped and Plain Cotton and Little Thread Sox, several hundred styles, also Plain Black and Tan, Worth 25c and 50c. 25c

## RIBBONS.

A potpourri of wonderful handsome silk qualities that overtop the season's greatest offers—4 1/2 and 5-inch all-silk sash Ribbons. Beautiful stripes, odd and fantastic designs; fancy plaids of every sort and color, combining plain Taffetas, tulle, and exquisite grades of Moules. Reduced from 40c, 50c, and 75c. 19c.

Wonders of colors, qualities, that brook no comparison because there is no class for them at any price. More Sash Ribbons and of the fancy sort. One is powerless to picture the beauty of coloring and the way in which during combinations blend into soft harmonies. Some of 'em are 5-1/2 inches wide, some of 'em are 6-1/2 inches wide. They have been 60c and 75c. 39c.

Hail to the queens, for the truly regal qualities of the stock have been reached. 8 and 9-inch Scotch Plaids breathing the highlands in their colorings. The hand-somest Bayaderes stripes, novelty satin checks and plaids. The cream of the stock. Ribbons that are reduced from \$1.00 and \$1.25. 69c.

## Hard to Catch a Hat



anywhere for what we are selling over these last few weeks. We don't dignify the few dollars in trimmed shapes here by the name of "stock." Not enough here. But if assortment is at fault, reductions of the most liberal sort atone for the sin. We've cut way into the price of everything on the floor, and ten times as much is buyable now as when the season started.

You can have your pick of any colored straw hat at the Busy Corner. Some are worth 25c, some are worth 50c, others sold at 75c, and went climbing up the scale as far as \$2.48. You can take your pick at the incredible price of... 9c

White and Jumbo straw sailers, like a feather in weight and like leather in wear. They were leaders a little earlier at \$1.25. 39c

Every one of the colored sailers that sold at \$1 and \$1.50. 69c

25c and 35c flowers and foliage. 50c, 55c, and 75c flowers and foliage. 10c, 15c, and 25c flowers and foliage. 15c

12-12c to 20c Lawn 37c

Remnants, all... 38c

A single dealer from a mighty department, but one worthy of it! The quantity offered is tremendous—almost 8,000 yards. They are the finest Lawns known in America. A dozen different mills made them. Every possible style and pattern, every imaginable shade. Over one hundred distinct effects. All the plain colors. They are not foot-stall lengths, but in quantities great enough for a dress or a waist. You've the eyes of Argus if you can find a single yard that isn't new this season. Choice and the luck's with the early comers at... 38c

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## Our Great Stock Taking Sale

Really begins tomorrow. The closing days of last week must not be taken into account. They merely gave us the chance to tune up—to rehearse for the grandest of bargain-symphonies. The broken lots—the discordant qualities—have all been cleared away. We greet you in the midst of Summer with all the choice and style of the season's start—with goods that you'll want for months to come—but which we dare hold back no longer. The next fortnight's losses will eat away the profits of months, for we promise you (and we've NEVER broken a promise) reductions that are not only fractional of selling price, but of cost price as well—which dare the comparison that is not possible.

## The Last Cut in Wash Goods.



Up on the banks of the Merimac, where orders are reduced by the hundred cases, we're known as bold buyers. In the importing-house district of New York the big concerns consider us among the largest handlers of French and English goods on the American Continent. Throughout the breadth of the land merchants regard with awe the daring manner in which we establish, year after year, a newer and a lower price standard for cotton goods. Our way of business is the "big" way. We're giants among the giants. Our wash-goods purchases are not overshadowed by a half-dozen American concerns. Quantity buying means successful selling, because it means a lower buying price and a consequent lower retail price. Lower prices have been cut to the lowest ever named by man. At the season's start we would willingly have paid twice as much for these prices for our stock.

## Choice of All French Organdies, 10c.

Organdies that were 25c and 35c a yard and that are 25c and 35c a yard at every other store in the city. Not a pattern that isn't as good as another, not an obtrusive coloring or an inartistic effect. They're triumphs of the shuttles. Over in Paris the shops today are getting a fringe for the 25c qualities. Every yard was a stranger to our store until this Spring, for styles never linger here longer than a single season. A few pieces of 19c French goods share the same prices as the more sheer qualities. From now on we know no distinction in their value. THEIR PRICE IS... 10c

## Choice 25c Imported Dimities, 12-12c.

We might pack them up with camphor balls and get 25c again next season, for such downright daintiness of texture and rare combining of color bid defiance to the efforts of the next ten years. These Dimities are perfect. The mill that loomed there over in St. Gaul would turn buyer for the once and take every yard of them back again at such a price. But you are destined for this rare bargain bit, and any piece of fine Dimity goes at... 12-12c

## Fine Plain Color Lawns, 7-7c.

There will be fifty pieces of Plain Color Lawns on the first floor Monday that have just escaped the confinement of the packing box. Ordered early, they were shipped by mistake to Rochester, N. Y., and have only been in the store a week. The quality is superb. Full of stability, yet as sheer as a web. Among the colors, which will never change so long as the days dawn, are navy blue, light blue, cardinal, canary, pink and green. They were never offered for sale, but goods like them brought double... 7-7c

## 50c Fine Silk Mull, 19c.

Ten different pieces of Figured Silk Mull are all that remains of the season's buying. These are even rather short in length. Now there isn't enough of them to last all through the day, and we dare say you'll be disappointed if an afternoon buyer. The price of these stuffs was 50c... 19c

## All Fancy 50c Piques, 25c.

Imported as their price hints, and quite a lot to cull over. They are English Piques of varying weight and size of rib, and consist of various striped effects and different plaids. On account of their weight they'll be wearable till the leaves begin to redden. Choice... 25c

## All 10c and 12-12c Lawns, 5c.

They were good Lawns for such prices, that's about all we can say about them; save, perhaps, that they were a little better in their wearing and somewhat less crude in color than American lawns generally are. The mourning effects are remarkably soft toned. 100 pieces... 5c

## Odds and Ends of Lawns, 2-2c &amp; 3-3c.

A corporal's guard of about fifty pieces left from over fifty cases. Small wonder that we've made the price small on the survival. Nothing extraordinary about them except the reduction. About the usual run of patterns and colors that one finds sold at 6c and 8c. 7-7c

## 12-12c Barnaby Gingham, 7-7c.

We can boast of a wonderful choice of effects for so late a month as August. We've always a fair stock of these superb goods on hand. They are the finest Gingshams that America produces. Safe almost in saying that the Scotch mills don't make better. All kinds of effects, but a special catchy lot of checks. Some of fine madras and chevrons that sold at the same price share their table. 200 pieces all told and not a yard worth less than 12-12c... 7-7c

## Muslin Underwear.



Ladies' Muslin and Cambric Gowns, lace and embroidery trimmed, some have high, some V and others Empire neck. Among this lot you will find five or six different styles. Goods that sold for \$1.25 and \$1.50. 79c

Muslin, Cambric and Nainsook Gowns, trimmed in embroidery and lace. Various styles. Among these you'll find high, V and Empire necks. These garments reduced from \$1.45 and \$1.65 to... 98c

Cambric and Nainsook Gowns in various styles. Handsomely trimmed with lace and ribbon, square necks, back and front; full width; large sleeves; gowns that sold for \$1.65, \$1.85 and \$2.15. 1-139

Nainsook Gowns, comprising about 5 different styles. They were slightly soiled in handling. They sold for \$1.95, \$2.15 and \$2.35. 1-159

## Clearing the China.



100-piece full sized dinner set; fine English porcelain; pretty shape; three different colors—brown, green, and pencil—a regular \$1.50 set—25 only. 4-98

Tea Cups and Saucers, 12 different decorations, ovate and tall shape, red; China; worth up to \$1 dozen. Set of six cups and saucers. 49c

Real China Decorated Tea, Fruit or Dessert Plates, up to 12c value. Real China Ice Cream or Berry Sauces, assorted shapes and decorations, up to 50c value, each. 9c

Real China Cream or Milk Jug, family size, nicely decorated, worth 10c. 4c

Larger size, worth 15c. 8c

All-linen Hemmed Kitchen Towels; a yard long and half a yard wide. 11c

## Trunks Go Flying.



out of here as fast as we can ship 'em in. We've sold hundreds this season alone and everyone has been the best that the money paid for it deserved. We didn't stumble into selling traveling needs. Months before a department was ever opened we were scouting for a line of goods that could be sold for a little and that would still be able to hold its head up in any company. One concern makes all our trunks for us. We know that a better line can't be gotten because we've seen 'em all. And you who've seen all the other stocks in town know that a splendidly made, stanch, trunk is buyable here at half what the specializing shop would want you to pay.

Extra large size canvas covered trunks, iron bottom, corners and clamps, deep tray and hat box. Regular price \$4.25. Special price... \$2.98

Extra size Saratoga shape zinc-covered trunk, deep tray and hat box, iron dress tray, iron bottom, corners and clamps. Regular price \$3. Regular price... \$3.98

Imitation alligator club bag lined with leather trimmings. Regular price 75c. Special price... 59c

1 lot olive color leather club bags, assorted sizes, nickel trimmings. Regular price \$1.25 and \$1.50. Special clearing price... 98c

Linen canvas dress-suit case, leather bound all round with leather corners, handles and straps. Regular price \$2.50. Special price... \$1.98

Linen lined leather dress-suit case, leather handle, brass trimmings, patent clamps. Regular price \$2.98 and \$3.50. Special price... \$2.49

## A New Record for Our Domestic Department.

We're like the highest bidder at the auction outbidding himself—for there exists in all the breadth of the land no firm which can sell lower prices than we. We reduce for tomorrow as we good when the ice is a foot thick on the Potomac as they are now. In reality there is no occasion for such a radical cut. But we think the worth that much to draw you here—to see goods that aren't as simple though they're even cheaper.

Fruit of the Loom Plaid Muslin 4-12c

Lockwood Bleached Sheet, 10-14 bed 9-12c

Wantago 10-14 Bleached Sheet—a far finer grade 14-12c

"My Maryland" yard wide 3-3c

60 dozen (and no more when they're gone) Dewey Bleached Pillow Cases, 52x24. None stronger. 9-12c

## Linen.

Up in the north of Ireland, round by Belfast, are vast flat fields, whose crop possesses a soft tendency and pliability. The linen mills around about there often are situated in the midst of these vast tracts. Their output is vastly cheapened, inasmuch as every stage in the manufacture of the fabric is carried on in one spot. The linens that we offer at reduced prices tomorrow are from this region. They are beautiful qualities, and are lower-priced than the finest kinds that can be bought.

62-inch Full Bleached Table Linen; a weighty and beautifully finished quality. Reduced from 60c to... 39c

2-yard-wide Silver Bleached Table Linen, of an extraordinary heaviness; new, choice patterns. Reduced from 65c to... 47c

## A White Shirt That'll Please Any Man.



At last they're here. This time we had OUR ideas carried out, and you'll see in the splendid new method—they'll on sale tomorrow how a low-priced shirt can be a good shirt. In the first place, the body is of New York Mills round thread muslin. The bosom band and cuffs are of "2100" linen. It is splendidly reinforced front and back; has patent stays. The button holes—and here's one of the shirt's neat features—are made by a new method—they'll outlast the shirt. All sizes for you, Mr. Man. This shirt is worth all of 60c. We intend to sell 'em hereafter for 50c. For awhile they are... 35c

## Flour, \$4.45 bbl

We have cut the price of Royal Brand Best Family Flour down to the lowest price it has been for years—\$4.45 for the Best Family Flour made. Pillsbury's Best Flour for \$5.55 per barrel. Lily of Minnesota Patent Flour, \$5.45 per barrel.

6 lbs Starch for 25c; large pkgs Quaker Oats for 9c; Hawkeye and Victor Package Oats, 7c each; Lea & Perrin's Worcestershire Sauce for 19c; Durkee's Salad Dressing for 19c; Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit, 12c pkg.

## CAKE BARGAINS!

Iced Star Cakes, White Iced Jelly Fingers, Buttercup Sandwiches and Assorted Coconut Creams, for 12 cts. per pound.

Assorted Pretzels, Graham Wafers, Pineapple Sandwiches, White Iced Honey Jumbles, Sultana Fruit Crackers, for 12 cts. per pound.

Sugar Cakes, Square Coffee Cakes, 6c lb.; Cream Crackers, Crisp Soda Crackers, Butterfly Oyster Crackers, for 5c lb.

Large squares of Fruit Cake, Lemon Cake, Orange Cake, Chocolate Marble Cake, for 10 cts each; Vanilla and Strawberry Midgets, mixed, for 12c lb.; Egg Biscuit, 15c lb.

## DRESSED CHICKENS, 13 1/2c EACH.

## LIVE CHICKENS, 13 1/2c EACH.

Owing to the exceeding warm weather many of our customers desire to save themselves the extra work of dressing chickens, therefore we shall sell either fine sized dressed spring chickens, or live chickens for 13 1/2c each.

## Eagle Brand Condensed Milk for 13c Can.

## Shoulders for 6 1/2c lb

Best Sugar-cured Smoked Hams for 10 1/2c lb. Best Smoked Shoulders, 6 1/2c lb. Fresh Beef, for boiling, 5c lb. Fresh Roasts of Beef, 7c lb. Royal Baking Powder, 1-lb. cans, for 40c, Rumford's Baking Powder, 1-lb. cans, for 27c. 12 large boxes Matches for 12c. Corn Starch for 4 1/2c package. Arbuckle's Coffee, 10 1/2c package. Borax Soap, large cakes, 2 1/2c each. P. & G. Oleine Soap for 3 1/2c each.

## Johnstons, 729 7th St.

## A SHORT HONEYMOON.

## After Twelve Days of Married Life the Rileys Separate.

Mrs. Mamie E. Riley, after a honeymoon extending through only twelve days, has decided to separate from her husband, John R. Riley, and will probably on Monday, through her attorneys, Lambert & Lambert, institute proceedings in equity for maintenance.

The parties were married on March 5 last by the Rev. J. R. Verbyrke, and twelve days later, on March 17, Mrs. Riley says, her husband deserted her, leaving her without food or any means of paying her room rent. Since their separation, she also says, Riley has continued to speak ill of her, and has endeavored to get others to do the same. The defendant Riley, it is said, is a pensioner, about fifty-five years of age, and receives a quarterly pension amounting to \$120.00.

## FUNERAL OF MRS. NILES.

## Interment Took Place at the Congressional Cemetery.

Mrs. Rosetta B. Niles, widow of the late Henry C. Niles, was buried yesterday in Congressional Cemetery. The funeral took place at 4 o'clock from the Protestant Church of St. Mark's, corner of Third and A Streets southeast.

The impressive burial services of the Episcopal Church were read by Rev. Philip M. Rynder, the pastor of the church. There were many floral tributes, prominent among which was a handsome piece from the employees of the Land Office, which Mrs. Niles has been employed for many years. Six gentlemen from the same office acted as pall-bearers.

## New Fire Hydrants.

A number of fire hydrants will be erected by order of the District Commissioners as follows:

Southeast corner of Second and Maryland Avenue southwest.

Corner of alley, F Street, between Third and Four-and-a-half Streets southwest.

South side of G Street, between Sixth and Seventh Streets southwest.

South side of H Street, between Sixth and Seventh Streets southwest.

## Contracts for Naphtha Lighting.

In response to a request by A. G. Safford, of No. 1416 F Street northwest, on behalf of the American Development Company, for an opportunity to inspect the bids recently received by the District Commissioners for naphtha lighting, the former was notified yesterday that the contract will not be awarded until a test of the candle power of the burners has been made, and that ample notice of the test will be given.

## Cement Proposals Accepted.

The proposals of Henry A. Jones & Co. for furnishing natural hydraulic cement at the price named in their bid and of the Atlas Cement Company for furnishing Portland cement at the price named in their bid have been accepted by the District Commissioners.

## Good Music at "Alhambra" Garden.

Fourth and E. ne. Electric fans, every thing first-class, Washington Brewery Co.'s famous beers fresh from the vaults. Bring the ladies. Good accommodations for teams and bicycles.

## Baltimore &amp; Ohio R. R. Bulletin.

ELECTRIC FANS IN SLEEPING CARS—The Washington-New York sleeper, ready for occupancy at 10 p. m., is provided with electric fans for the comfort of passengers who wish to retire early. Travelers during the heated season will appreciate this innovation.

ATLANTIC CITY AND RETURN, 45-Fridays and Saturdays, 10 a. m. and 12:05 noon trains, good returning until following Tuesday. Excellent Royal Blue Fast Train Service.

45c WASHINGTON TO BALTIMORE AND RETURN—Saturdays and Sundays, good returning until following Monday. Good on all trains, including Royal Blue Line 45-minute flyers.

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## ORDER a case of "Diamond" or "Munch."

Beer for Sunday. Best in America. 2 dozen bottles, \$1.25. Write or phone 2222. Nat. Cap. Brewing Co., 14th and D st. aue-24

## Another Glorious Week

of unparalleled clothing selling starts tomorrow. We've often had crowds, but such a throng as has congested our store during the past seven days must be called a multitude. We've given values that will flourish in the memory of men for years to come. We've sold clothing, and we're going to keep on selling it, at prices which defy all posterity to equal. Clothing was never given away, but we have come nearer to that point than any other concern in any place at any time. Magnificent values await you tomorrow morning. Values so huge that Monday, August 7, will shine forth as the greatest day of our sale of the Boston Merchants' Stock of Clothing.

## A Whole Crash Suit—Think of It—82c.

Not 82c for the coat or 82c for the pants—but 82c for the COAT AND PANTS. It's a suit that can't be equaled at \$3.25. Made carefully of real linen crash. The goods cost more than that—the tailoring cost more. You're the luckiest man on earth to get such a chance— 82c

Plenty for tomorrow at...

## Three-piece Crash Suit Complete, \$1.29.

Made of a superb grade of Irish goods. The Suit has been through a shrink test and won't change with washing. Coat, pants and vest—all included—worth \$4.00... \$1.29

## Men's \$12 Black Serge Suits, \$4.

They're the sort that CAN'T fade. The goods is a fine, silk-finish, wire-twist effect. Lined with consummate care. Beautifully tailored and finished. Not a store can show you better at \$12. The Trading Company pany sold 'em at \$5. 4-12

## Men's \$5 Dress Pants, \$1.48.

Most of them are made of real English Worsters. The patterns are neat and dressy. They're worth \$5 a pair. The Trading Company advertised them as bargains at \$1.50. You got them from us \$1.48 for... 4-12

## Men's \$12.50 Tweed and Cassimere Suits, \$3.38.

Every conceivable pattern and shade "mong" 'em. They are for the most part "Browns" clothing—that's on a par with any in the line. All sizes. Splendid tailoring. Light and dark effects. Good Summer weights. Goods worth \$12.50... \$3.38

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LADIES Relief at Last

DR. MARTIN'S French Female Pills

Safe. Always reliable. Ask your druggist for them. Based on Science the Genuine.

Put only in metal boxes with the French Flag on top. In Blue, White and Red, or send to FRANK BREG CO., No. 20 E. 2nd St., New York, N. Y., for Dr. Martin's Book, "RELIEF FOR WOMEN."

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